## New York, Columbia University, Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Plimpton MS 047

*Description:* ff. 215 - Now without covers; formerly bound in 19th century vellum boards with title gold-stamped on the spine. - George A. Plimpton (1855-1936). - De Ricci, p. 1761.

*Number of Parts:* 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 5

*Direct Link:* http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/PlimptonMS047_20

*Language:* Latin *Country:* Italy *Century:* 15th

### Part 1: ff. 1-215v

*Description:* - Paper - 2 types of Ochsenkopf one similar to Piccard XII:857, the second similar to Piccard XII:188. - 287 x 205 mm - 2 columns of 43 lines ruled in light brown ink for the horizontal lines and lead for the vertical bounding lines.

*Country:* Italy

*Cardinal point:*

*Region:*

*City:*

*Assigned Date:* s. XV$^{3/4}$

*Searchable Date Range:* 1450 - 1475

*Dated by scribe:* No

*Inscribed Date:*

*Document:* No

*Number of Scribes:* ;

*Script:* Minuscule with humanistic features; opening initials frequently following by text in a display script.

*Other Decoration:* 7- and 8-line opening initials in blue or red, some with acanthus finials; 5- to 9-line parted red and blue initials with purple harped or beaded infilling.

*Number of Texts:* 1

#### Text 1: ff. 1-215v

*Author:* Augustine

*Title:* De civitate Dei

*Language(s):* Latin

*Incipit:* Interea cum roma gothorum irruptione argentium [sic] sub rege alarico

*Status of text:* Alphabetical subject index and text itself beginning defectively.



*f. 4* Flourished initials.

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*f. 20v* Painted initial.

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*f. 28* Secondary initials.

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*f. 29* Major initial; display capitals in first text line; arabic "4" in outer margin.

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*f. 164* Chapter list; parted initial; single prick mark at approx. 12th text line in outer margin.

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